

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
ANIMAL AND PLANT HEALTH INSPECTION SERVICE

**OFFICIAL WARNING**  
**VIOLATION OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS**



CASE NUMBER:

MO150047

VIOLATOR:

Rob Johnson

Customer # 333038

ADDRESS (Street, City, State, ZIP Code):

930 South 23<sup>rd</sup> St.

Unionville, MO 63565

The U.S. Department of Agriculture has evidence that on or about **January 13, 2015, February 9, 2015, February 23, 2015, March 16, 2015, March 10, 2015 and March 4, 2015**, you or your organization committed violations of the following sections of the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 9:

**2.1(a) (1) Requirements and application.** Any person operating or intending to operate as a dealer, exhibitor, or operator of an auction sale, except persons who are exempted from licensing requirements under paragraph (a) (3) of this section, must have a valid license.

You failed to obtain a valid USDA license before conducting regulated activities.

The Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS) created federal regulations to ensure the welfare of animals and help prevent the spread of animal and plant pests and diseases. Since violations of the regulations can have serious and costly impacts that are detrimental to the public interest, APHIS is providing you with an Official Warning for the violation(s) described above. Any further violation of these federal regulations may result in the assessment of a civil penalty, criminal prosecution, or other sanctions. If you have any questions concerning this Official Warning or violation(s), please contact the APHIS official listed in this notice.

APHIS OFFICIAL (Name and Title):

Chester A. Gipson  
Deputy Administrator  
Animal Care

OFFICE ADDRESS:

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Riverdale, MD 30737

SIGNATURE:

DATE ISSUED:

May 23, 2015

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